BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

In the Matter of the Application of)
)
MATSUYAMA BROTHERS TRUCKING, INC. )  Docket No. 2008-0297
)
For Extension of Motor Carrier  )
Certificate. )
)

DECISION AND ORDER
By this Decision and Order, the commission authorizes MATUYAMA BROTHERS TRUCKING, INC. ("Applicant") to extend its authority under certificate of public convenience and necessity number 5110-C ("Certificate No. 5110-C") to include the general commodities classification on the island of Hawaii, subject to certain conditions, as described herein.

I.

Application to Extend Common Carrier Authority

Applicant is a common carrier of property by motor vehicle over irregular routes on the island of Hawaii in the specific commodities (heavy equipment and machinery) and dump truck classifications. On November 26, 2008, Applicant filed an application seeking commission approval to extend its authority under Certificate No. 5110-C to include the general commodities classification on the island of Hawaii.

Applicant served copies of the application on the Hawaii Transportation Association, which consists of carriers
that may be affected by Applicant's proposed service, and on the Division of Consumer Advocacy, Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs ("Consumer Advocate"). The Consumer Advocate did not participate in this proceeding, and no persons moved to intervene in this docket.

II.

Findings and Conclusions

Based upon our review of the record, the commission finds that Applicant is fit, willing, and able to properly perform the proposed service, and to conform to Hawaii Revised Statutes Chapter 271 and the requirements and rules of the commission. The commission also finds that the proposed service is required by the present and future public convenience and necessity. Accordingly, the commission concludes that Applicant's request for an extension of its authority should be granted.

III.

Orders

THE COMMISSION ORDERS:

1. Applicant is authorized to operate as a common carrier of property by motor vehicle over irregular routes on the island of Hawaii in the general commodities and dump truck classifications.¹

2. Within one hundred and twenty (120) days after

¹Applicant's specific commodities authority is subsumed under its general commodities authority.
service of this Decision and Order, Applicant shall:

a. Complete and submit the enclosed insurance forms: (a) Motor Carrier Cargo Certificate of Insurance (MCB-8), and (b) Motor Carrier Cargo Insurance Endorsement (MCB-9). The forms should include the policy number and be completed and signed by Applicant’s insurance agent or company; or they will be rejected.2

b. File an amended tariff that reflects its new authority in the general commodities classification on the island of Hawaii.

3. Applicant shall comply with the foregoing requirements within one hundred and twenty (120) days after service of this Decision and Order. Failure to comply within the time specified may constitute cause for this commission to vacate this Decision and Order.

4. Applicant shall not commence operations in the general commodities classification until it has received written confirmation from the commission that all requirements have been met.

2 An explanation of the cargo insurance coverage requirements is attached to this Decision and Order.
DONE at Honolulu, Hawaii FEB - 5 2009.

PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

By Carlito P. Caliboso, Chairman

By John E. Cole
John E. Cole, Commissioner

By Leslie H. Kondo, Commissioner

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The foregoing order was served on the date of filing by mail, postage prepaid, and properly addressed to the following parties:

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